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In re Application of:

Hidehiko KARASAKI et al.

Group Art Unit: 2815

Serial No.: 09/873,416

Examiner: Matthew C. Landau

Filed: June 5, 2001

For: LASER DEVICE AND METHOD OF CONTROLLING Q-SWITCHED FREQUENCY CONVERTED LASER, PROCESS AND SYSTEM USING LASER DEVICE

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

[] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

[] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.

[] No additional fee is required.

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 26, 2002,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 2, replace paragraphs 1 and 2 as follows:

a' An optical operation of the harmonic-generating Q switch laser
device will be explained with referring to Fig. 13. Fig. 13 shows

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